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Applicant:

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09/481,733

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Title:

TRANSAMINASES AND AMINOTRANSFERASES

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TERMINAL DISCLAIMER

Sir:

The undersigned, attorney of record for Petitioner, DIVERSA CORPORATION, with its place of business at 4955 Directors Place, San Diego, CA 92121, represents that Petitioner is the Assignee of 100 percent interest in Application Serial No. 09/481,733, filed January 11, 2000, entitled TRANSAMINASES AND AMINOTRANSFERASES, as evidenced by an Assignment recorded on April 26, 1996 in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on Reel 8051, Frame 0113 to Recombinant BioCatalysis, Inc., La Jolla, California, now known as DIVERSA CORPORATION.

The evidentiary documents referred to herein have been reviewed by the undersigned and it is certified that to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, title is in the Assignee.

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In addition, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(c), the undersigned, on behalf of Petitioner, DIVERSA CORPORATION, disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on claims 1-14 the above-identified Application No. 09/481,733 which would extend beyond the expiration date of claims 1-14 of U.S. Patent No. 6,013,509. Petitioners hereby agree that any patent so granted on claims 1-14 of the above-identified application No. 09/481,733 shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to claims 1-14 of said patent shall be the same as the legal title to claims 1-14 of U.S. Patent No. 6,013,509, this Agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successor or assigns.

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Respectfully submitted,

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